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SUBJECT: ROTAVIA (PTY) LTD., P.O. BOX 7292, JOHANNESBURG,
SOUTH AFRICA; POST SHIPMENT CHECK

REF: BEWT/OEA COMPLIANCE DIVISION FILE 3-182; CHAPTER 412,
REFERENCE MANUAL ON ECONOMIC DEFENSE

ON MONDAY NOVEMBER 19 THE SUPERVISORY COMMERCIAL OFFICER,
AMCONSUL JOHANNESBURG SPOKE TO MR. COTTS, ROTAVIA (PTY)
LTD. AN ATTEMPT WAS MADE TO SPEAK WITH CAPTAIN K.J.E.
GAHAGAN WHO IS DIRECTOR OF ROTAVIA BUT HE WAS REPORTED TO
BE IN SALISBURY, RHODESIA. MR. COTTS WAS ASKED IF ROTAVIA
STILL HAD IN ITS POSSESSION A BELL MODEL 47GT HELICOPTER
WHICH HAD BEEN PURCHASED FROM AIRCRAFT AND HELICOPTER
SUPPLIES INC. OF SUN VALLEY, CALIFORNIA IN OCTOBER 1972.
MR. COTTS REPLIED THAT THE FIRM HAD SEVERAL HELICOPTERS BUT
HE DID NOT KNOW IF THIS ONE WAS SPECIFICALLY IN THEIR
POSSESSION. HE SUGGESTED THAT I WRITE TO CAPTAIN GAHAGEN
IN SALISBURY AND ASK HIM AS THAT WAS THE COMPANY'S BASE
OF OPERATIONS AND ALL THE HELICOPTERS WERE BASED IN SALISBURY.
HE STATED THAT THE COMPANY CONDUCTS NO SPRAYING OPERATIONS
IN SOUTH AFRICA - ONLY IN RHODESIA AND THAT THE COMPANY'S
HELICOPTERS OPERATE OUT OF SALISBURY. ON THE BASIS OF THIS IT
WOULD SEEM THAT THERE HAS BEEN A CLEAR CUT VIOLATION AND
CIRCUMVENTION OF U.S. EXPORT CONTROL.

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